

Community Council Agenda

Joseph Cook Elementary School

Community Council Meetings are <u>usually</u> held the third Wednesday of every other month at 4 PM in the library. **2015-16 Meeting Schedule:** Sep. 16, Nov. 18, Jan. 20, Mar. 16, Apr. 13 (Run), and May 4 (SIP)

Agenda:

- 1. Welcome & Introductions:
 - Members present: Kallie Read, Mr. Clark, Heather Marshall, Mr. King, and Natalie Argyle
- 2. Review and approve minutes- Minutes were approved.
- 3. Principal's Report on school items
 - a) The Race went well, grass seed has been placed along the track to fill in from pouring concrete.
 - b) We looked at some different options for the new sound system that will be installed this summer.

4. Current ideas, questions, needs, and/or concerns from Council and/or Community

- a) Transfer itemized list of future projects to school website by Mr. Clark.
- b) Bookshelves: The school will pay for those. Carpet will be installed in three rooms and will be paid for by the district.
 - c) Fundraisers: We'll do a poll to see what the opinion is for all the fundraisers we've done this year. Mr. Clark will draw up the poll and will include all the fundraisers and projects that the money raised will go towards. When we get the results of our poll we'll post a summery.
 - For the cookie dough fundraiser we could provide our own prizes, or if the vendor will provide those for free. We could give prizes for how many items the students sell or if they got a donation for the school.
 - We are thinking about turning the 5k into a walk-a-thon and do pledges.

5. Parent and Community Involvement

a) Nothing was discussed.

6. Trust Lands Items, Budget, or Updates

a) Budget & Plan

We reviewed our math, reading, attendance, and quality staffing goals and are deciding for where additional or carryover funding should be spent. We'd like to spend the money on additional TA time, enrichment activities, and possibly technology.

7. Student Wellness Plan and Update

- a) Review Chase Your Tail Run. First time we didn't have rain this year! All the race packets were picked up. It would have been better to have a couple of people watching the food. We also had to set up 5 more tables for all our participants.
- b) For next year we talked about maybe having people bring their own chairs and blankets to eat outside. We could have people preorder dinner or have them bring their own. This depends on whether or not we make the 5 k a walk-a-thon instead.
- c) The silent auction did really well and raised \$750.
- d) We raised about \$2,000 total this year from the race.

8. Open Items

- a)
- b)